

## Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, OCT. 26, 1908

## Local Matters.

**Sun and Tide Table.**  
Sun rises tomorrow at 6.23 and sets at 5.05.  
High water at 9.02 a. m. and 9.15 p. m.

**Weather Probabilities.**  
For this section fair tonight and Tuesday;  
cooler tonight; light to fresh winds, mostly southerly.

## THE BYRD LAW.

As stated in Saturday's Gazette Judge T. W. Harrison, in the Circuit Court of Winchester, on Saturday, rendered a lengthy opinion in the Henry case, holding that section 23 1-2 of the Byrd liquor law, governing the sale of small brew or "near-beer," to be unconstitutional. Robert M. Henry, a former Winchester saloonkeeper, was arrested and fined \$500 for selling "near-beer," manufactured by the Robert Porter Brewing Company of Alexandria, in less than six-bottle lots, as provided by section 23 1-2 of the Byrd law. An appeal was taken from the magistrate's court, and Judge Harrison's decision was awaited with interest all over the state. Judge Harrison said that in his opinion the Byrd liquor law was the very best law regulating the liquor traffic the state ever had and that he doesn't believe the people of the state would ever consent to a radical departure from its underlying principles. Section 23 1-2, as its history and every enumeration showed it, was an amendment injected into the act after it had passed the House of Delegates, without harmonizing the other provisions of the bill with it, and that it was so constituted that it could serve no practical good purpose. The case will in all probability go to the Court of Appeals for a final decision.

## CHURCH NOTES.

At the meeting for men, addressed by Mr. Robt. L. Downing, in the Methodist Protestant Church yesterday afternoon, there was wonderful interest manifested. About 300 listened to a strong and earnest message from the converted actor, and went away impressed with the heart-searching truth. Mr. H. L. Dinwiddie sang a solo, "Abide With Me." Mr. Downing also impressively sang, "He Will Hold Me Fast." The revival service began at 7:30 p. m. The church was filled with many standing in the vestibule throughout the service. The evangelist took as his subject, "A Great Privilege," and in plain practical truths sent the message into the hearts of his hearers. There were two conversions; and others who asked for prayers that night might be found. A deep interest was manifested. Tonight Mr. Downing will talk on "The Old Time Religion." Service promptly at 7:30.

## DEATH OF W. W. WINSHIP.

William Williamson Winship, for the past ten or twelve years chief draftsman of the War Department, and who was connected with the government service since the close of the civil war, died in Washington Friday last. The deceased was a lieutenant in the First Regiment of District of Columbia Volunteers and at the close of the civil war was provost marshal of this city, where he is unkindly remembered for his overbearing conduct towards the southern people and the returned Confederate soldiers before whom they were compelled to take the oath of allegiance. The deceased was 75 years old. The funeral took place this evening.

## POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Catoe presiding.]  
The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Thomas J. Flower, charged with lunacy, was ordered to be detained for a further examination.  
A white man, charged with assaulting a colored boy, was dismissed.  
Jennie Johnson, colored, charged with assaulting Malvina Clements, was dismissed.

Three colored boys, charged with having iron in their possession belonging to the Southern Railway Company, were dismissed with a warning.

## CHARGED WITH ROBBERY.

Harry Davis, colored, of Alexandria county, was locked up Friday night in Washington upon a charge of having received stolen goods. Davis was arrested in Alexandria county in connection with the robbery of the house of Ernest Pinnau. Ernest Gardner, colored, was arrested for the robbery and sentenced to one year imprisonment in the penitentiary at Richmond, but the authorities were unable to connect Davis with the robbery. The latter denies the charge of having received the stolen property.

## DEATH OF MR. HARTBOWER.

Mr. William Hartbower, who lived in Fairfax county, a short distance south of this city, died Saturday night. The deceased had been in failing health for some time. Mr. Hartbower, who was sixty-five years old, was a well-known truck gardener, and for many years attended the market in this city. He leaves a widow and several children.

## DEATH OF AN OLD FISHERMAN.

Mr. William Neitzey, the oldest fisherman on the Potomac river, died at his home in Washington yesterday. The deceased was 85 years old. He was a native of Germany, and came to this country in 1832. Mr. Neitzey was an uncle of Officer J. C. Gill, of this city.

## DEATH OF MRS. HUNTER.

Mrs. Virginia Hunter, widow of John T. Hunter, died on Saturday night at Roanoke, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. P. Choctey. The deceased was 82 years old. The funeral will take place tomorrow from the residence of F. G. Grimes, on south Lee street.

## CHARTER.

The Corporation Commission has issued a charter to the Alta Heights Realty Company (Inc.) of Roanoke. J. H. McLean, president, Canton, O.; L. E. Dodge, vice president, Washington; A. M. McCarty, secretary and treasurer, Canton, O. Capital—maximum, \$100,000; minimum, \$100,000. Objects: Real estate business.

**OYSTERS—LYNNHAVENS** on half shell; BROILED on toast; CHILLED DISHES. Brill's Celebrated Single Fried at the OPERA HOUSE CAFE.

DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve is the best salve for piles. Be sure you get DeWitt's. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

Genial! You want to see our Wall Streets, Patent Kid Blucher and Button Shoe. The \$6 kind at \$4. J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

## CONFEDERATE COIN.

In reference to the Confederate coin in the possession of a gentleman in this city, City Auditor Price has taken considerable interest and in response to a letter to Mr. Lawrence Washington, of the Library of Congress, in regard to the matter, has received the following reply:

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS,  
Washington, Oct. 22, 1908.

My Dear Mr. Price:

Referring to the Confederate coin, I find the law suspending the operations of the mint was approved May 14, 1861 (see Journals Confederate Congress, vol. 1, page 223) and in Dye's Coin Encyclopedia, page 1150, you will find an article on Confederate coinage by E. Mason, in which he quotes a letter from B. F. Taylor, C. S. A., who says "four pieces only were struck." This would seem to be conclusive, and yet a larger number seems to be in existence. I enclose some references copied from Schwab, which, if you have time to look up, might prove interesting.

LAWRENCE WASHINGTON.

After receiving this letter Auditor Price looked further into the matter and has this to say:

"In addition to this information Mr. J. R. Zimmerman has a 'History of the Confederate Treasury,' by Ernest A. Smith, Ph. D. He says in a foot note 'four coined half dollars were issued.' Reverse side, 13 stars and goddess of liberty. Obverse side, 7 stars, a liberty cap, stand of cotton, corn stalk, sugar corn, shield, and words, 'Confederate States of America.' This description is just what is on the half dollar held in this city."

## WORKMEN ENTERTAINED.

Mr. James Roche on last Saturday night gave an oyster supper at Ramme's dining room to Contractor S. D. Devaughn, Mr. W. P. Husted, contractor for the brick work, and to the other mechanics who worked on the three modern brick houses owned by Mrs. James Roche on the east side of Alfred street, between Prince and Duke. During the evening speeches were made by Messrs. James Roche, S. D. Devaughn, W. P. Husted, Wm. O. Tomlin, Joseph Gates and others. The houses, which have already been rented, are fitted with all modern improvements and reflect credit upon the skill and the workmen who constructed them.

## THE NEW BANK BUILDING.

Work on the new building for the First National Bank on the north side of King street, near Pitt, is now in an advanced stage. An additional force of bricklayers was put to work today. A slight interruption was occasioned last night by some stonemasons who quit work at the instance of a walking delegate from Washington. Their places were filled by other men.

## RIVER NOTES.

The Virginia pilot steamer Accomac was at this port today.  
The schooner Beulahland, from Severn river with sand for the Belle Port Bottle Works, is at W. A. Smoot & Co's wharf.  
The schooner Hattie and Frances, from Coan river with canned goods for city merchants, has arrived.

## YESTERDAY.

The weather yesterday was more like that of an April than an October day. The skies were overcast at times in the morning and about 2 o'clock in the evening a light shower fell, after which the clouds disappeared and the sun shone brightly. The churches were all fairly well attended and many people were on the street.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

The weather continues mild and fair. The mercury at noon today registered 73°.

The new chairs for the Opera House have been received and are being placed in position by Mr. A. D. Montier.

Complaint is made that vandals are destroying the flowers which are growing on the Columbus street side of the Fairfax apartment house.

Attention is called to the anniversary sale Thursday and Friday of S. H. Lynn & Co., shoe dealer, advertised in today's paper.

There was a large attendance at the rally day services in the Second Presbyterian Church last night. The interesting program which had been prepared was well-rendered.

Quite a heavy rain fell on Saturday night refreshing vegetation and laying the dust. The farmers in the neighborhood say the rain did much good but that more is needed.

About 3 o'clock yesterday morning a resident of Fairfax street, between Gibson and Franklin, discovered a strange man prowling about his yard. While the man of the house was endeavoring to secure a pistol the intruder escaped.

The Alexandria Sunday Times got out a very creditable monument edition yesterday in the interest of the George Washington Monument Park. It gives an interesting history of the city and of its growth and industrial progress. It is well illustrated and reflects credit upon its publishers.

Joseph Bailey, colored, who lives in Washington, a deckhand on a tugboat, was caught between the side of the boat and a pile at this port yesterday afternoon and one of his legs was injured. Bailey was carried to the Alexandria Hospital, where it was said his injuries are not serious.

Robert Wood, colored, was arrested at Accotink this morning by Game Warden Payne charged with gunning on S. B. Stonnell's land without his permission. Justice Wright fined the accused \$5.30.

Tomorrow is market day. Don't forget the "Auth Stand" and the Auth products. They're simply delicious. We are offering 3 cans Royal Red Tomatoes, 25c; 3 cans Canton or Silver B and Peas, 25c; 4 cans Sugar Corn, 2c; Extra Fancy Peaches, 12c pound; Apples, 15c pound; Large Juicy Peaches, 5c pound. Special: A bottle of our "Hot as Blazes" Horse-radish free with every Auth ham you purchase. If you can't come, phone us—we'd be delighted. Sylvan Blondheim, the Auth Stand, City Market.

Robert Travers will have in market tomorrow morning some fine Rockfish, White Perch, Bass and trout.

Just received another 50 bushels of HERBERT RUN Oysters to be used on the ROASTER. Try a roast at the ELKTON tonight.

Ladies! "Why not be comfortable," Buy The Red Cross Shoe. It binds with the foot. J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

WANTED—A SOLICITOR. Apply at MAYNARD'S MODERN PHARMACY, 1120 King street, next to Fayette.

## SAYS HE IS A DEFAULTER.

A young man who gave his name as Thomas J. Slowe, who says he lives in Philadelphia, was picked up in Alexandria county Saturday. Slowe's actions indicated that he was demented and a colored man named Stewart conducted him to the station house in this city, where he told the police that he was formerly employed by Muller & Steel floor merchants of Philadelphia, as a salesman, and that he embezzled between \$400 and \$600 from his employers and that detectives had since been on his track. Slowe is well dressed and at times talks in a very excited manner. He will be held until word is received from the chief of police in Philadelphia. Chief Goods forwarded a letter to the Philadelphia authorities, giving them information of the detention of the man and of his alleged admission.

The sister and brother-in-law of Slowe, who live in Washington, came here yesterday to see the prisoner. The latter is still being held at the station house.

## The Correct Styles

Are shown in our autumn exhibit of fine Jewelry.

Whatever it is, if you see it here you may be sure it is the correct style and thoroughly up-to-date. Careful buying enables us to sell Fine Jewelry at low figures—not cheap jewelry but good values at moderate figures. Satisfy yourself on this point by giving it your personal inspection.

## Saunders &amp; Son, JEWELERS—629 King St.—SILVERSMITHS

## AMUSEMENTS.

In speaking of motion picture houses and first class pictures it will be well to bear in mind that the Alexandria Amusement Company is a good place to visit tonight. The managers of this popular motion picture house are securing pleasing pictures and are repaid by crowded houses. Tonight "The Gambler's Fate," "How Rastus Got His Pork Chops," "Nigger in a Graveyard at Midnight," "Great International Cross Country," and "Great Bicycle Race" will be the attractions.

The Opera House management have provided one of the best shows of the season for its patrons tonight when they will present Frederick, Ely and Force in that side-splitting comedy entitled "Nigger in a Graveyard at Midnight," and three other big acts. Surpassing pictures and new songs.

The Elite Picture Company will give an entire new show tonight. "Heart of a Gypsy Maid." This is a fine subject fresh from New York; it is an amusing, well produced picture with good photographic effects. "The Result of Eating Horse Flesh," this is amusing; see the man turn to a horse. "Mr. Boozier Gets a Fright," this will make you laugh. "A Magnetic Removal," another good reel. Special attraction will be Frank Steele, the rube comedian who comes highly recommended. Show starts 7:15.

## STATION SITE

Corporation Counsel Thomas of Washington, has begun proceedings to determine the right of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. to refuse to select another site than that at Fourteenth and Water streets northwest for the railroad sub-station in that city.

Commissioners West and Macfarland desire this station located near the railroad's right of way on Seventh street southwest, and are taking the matter into court to compel such action.

## CORPORATION COURT.

[Judge L. C. Barley presiding.]  
Com. vs. Edward Morris, Charles Dean and Harvey Lunsford, indicted for grand larceny; cases continued until the December term. Morris was remanded to jail. Dean and Lunsford were admitted to bail in penalty of one thousand dollars each.

## COURT COURT FOR COUNTY.

[Judge J. B. T. Thornton, presiding.]  
Rixey vs. Green; debt; jury and case in progress.  
The liquor cases are set for trial tomorrow.

Drop in at the ELKTON and get a plate of our CHICKEN LAD. Nothing better nor more palatable.

## PERSONAL.

Mr. Thomas Ballenger and family have gone to Richmond to spend a few weeks.

Mrs. W. G. LeFlew, wife of Mr. W. G. LeFlew, union ticket agent, left Thursday for Omaha. She will visit relatives in Streator, Bloomington and Kansas City before returning.

Mr. F. E. Andrews and family, of Seminary Hill, Fairfax county, have removed to Washington to spend the fall and winter.

Mr. A. W. Melchior who came here to attend the funeral of his mother has returned to his home in St. Louis.

Mr. W. G. Harvey, jr., well known in local fertilizer circles, has left for Alexandria to accept the position of president and treasurer of the Bryant Fertilizer Company. (Richmond Times Dispatch.)

Mr. N. S. Greenaway has returned from his vacation spent at Pawingrove, Pa., and today resumed his duties as clerk of the courts for this city.

Capt. R. F. Knox is quite sick at his home on Duke street.

TANGIER and POCOMOKE Oysters, finest seen this season, with the flavor of the ocean on them. Roasted or on the half shell at the ELKTON tonight. JACKSON CREEKS in every style.

Kodak is a combination of the natural digestive juices and it digests all classes of food and every kind of food, so you see it will do the work that the stomach itself does. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

The Hess kind is the best kind. They wear where others fail. We are sole agents for the famous Hess shoe for men. J. A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

NEW AND SECOND-HAND GOODS bought and sold at the northwest corner of Wilkes and Royal streets. Highest cash price paid. oct26 1\*

## NOWLAND &amp; DOBIE.

LOST—DOOR KEY, probably on Royal street, between Cameron and King streets today, the 26th inst. Return to this office. oct26 3\*

**S. KANN-SONS & CO.**  
8th St. & PA. AVE.  
"THE BUSY CORNER"  
Washington, D. C.

**C. J. BONNET ET CIE'S FAMOUS BLACK DIRECTOIRE Satins and Silks.**

19 in. Black Taffetas, a yard	- -	75c
22 in. Black Taffetas, a yard	- -	\$1.00
27 in. Black Taffetas, a yard	- -	\$1.25
36 in. Black Taffetas, a yard	- -	\$1.39
20 in. Black Directoire Satin, a yard		\$1.00
30 in. Black Directoire Satin, a yard		\$2.00

## ANNIVERSARY SALE.

Next THURSDAY and FRIDAY, November 29th and 30th, being our first anniversary we will give with every pair of Ladies', Gentlemen's, Boys' and Children's Shoes from \$1.25 and over

## Pair of Rubbers Free

with every cash purchase. Now is the time to buy your children's shoes. E. C. Schuffer, Buster Brown and Paff's Little Foot Form. These are the leading shoes for children.

## S. H. LYNN &amp; CO

429 KING STREET.  
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## REMAINS PLACED IN VAULT.

The remains of William O'Toole, who died at the Alexandria Hospital Wednesday morning from injuries received in the Potomac railroad yards, were removed from Demaine & Son's undertaking establishment yesterday afternoon and placed in the vault in St. Mary's Church cemetery.

## DIED.

At Roanoke, Sunday, October 25, 1908, Mrs. VIRGINIA HUNTER, widow of John T. Hunter, aged 82 years. Funeral services at 2:30 south Lee street tomorrow (Tuesday) afternoon at 3 o'clock. Friends of the family invited. Interment private.

On Saturday, October 24, at 10:30 p. m., WILLIAM HARTBOWER, husband of Virginia Hartbower, aged 65 years. The funeral will take place from his home across Hunting creek, Fairfax county, tomorrow (Tuesday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery. Friends are invited to attend. [Washington papers please copy.]

## AUCTION SALE.

PURSUANT TO THE TERMS OF A deed of trust dated on the 17th day of April, 1906, and recorded among the land records of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, in deed book No. 53, page 510, given by Maria C. Peppas, widow, to the undersigned to secure the Savings Mutual Building and Loan Association of Alexandria, Virginia, the sum of twelve hundred dollars, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum from the 2nd day of April, 1906, as therein set forth, default having been made in the principal of said debt, and at the request and by the direction of the Board of Directors of the said association, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Royal street entrance of the Market building, in said city, at 12 o'clock M. on

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1908, all that lot of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon situate on the west side of St. Asaph street, in said city of Alexandria, Virginia, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning on the west side of St. Asaph street 17 feet 4 inches south of Queen street and running thence west parallel to Queen street 61 feet more or less; thence south, parallel to St. Asaph street, 16 feet 94 inches; thence east in a direct line 61 feet to St. Asaph street, and thence north on St. Asaph street 16 feet 94 inches to the point of beginning, with all appurtenances thereto belonging.

Terms of Sale: Cash. Conveyancing at purchaser's expense. [Surviving] GEO. H. HARLOW, trustees. oct26 1d

## AMUSEMENTS.

**New Show Tonight.**  
**TONIGHT**  
Heart of a Gypsy Maid  
The Result of Eating Horse Flesh.  
Mr. Boozier Gets a Fright.  
A Magnetic Removal.

SPECIAL ATTRACTION:  
**FRANK STEELE,**  
THE RUBE COMEDIAN.  
ADMISSION TO ALL, 5 CENTS.

**Alexandria Amusement Co.**  
426 King Street.

Entire Change of Pictures Daily.

**The Gambler's Fate.**  
**How Rastus Got His Pork Chops.** Fine comedy.

**Great International Cross Country.** Great bicycle race.

Admission - - - - - 5c.

Popular with the people.

**Opera House.**

Special Attraction  
**Frederick, Ely and Force**

Assisted by MIMI MAY in a screaming farce.

**Nigger in a Graveyard at Midnight.**

Plenty of Dancing. Latest songs and new pictures.

Seats for Election Returns on sale at box office.

Popular with the people.

**Perfection Oil Heaters, - - \$4.25**

**Air-tight Stoves from \$1.69 to \$5.98.** (Elbow and pipe with each stove.)

**Stove Pipe, - - - 10c joint**

**Elbows, - - - - - 10c each**

**Coal Hods, 20c, 25c and 35c each**

**ELLIOTT'S,**  
Cor. Pitt and King Sts

## Mourning Trimmed Hats

Women's and Misses' \$8 and \$10 Mourning Hats marked \$4, \$5 and \$6.

## Cozy Wrappers, Night Gowns and Sacques.

Flannelette Wrappers, well made, full width and extra long, \$1 and \$1.50.

Plenty of 50c Flannelette Night Gowns in all colors and stripes.

The Maline No-button Undervest, 25c and 50c. Extra sizes, 59c.

## GUARANTEED STOCKINGS.

90c a box for 6 pairs of Guaranteed Stockings for six months for men, women or children. They are the cheapest and best stockings in the United States.

If in need of Blankets and Comforts take a peep at ours.

## ROSENFELD'S,

518-20 King Street, Alexandria, Va.

## Alexandria National Bank.

Corner King and Royal Streets. Capital \$100,000  
**CENTRALLY LOCATED.**

Places at your disposal every facility and service offered by any Conservative Bank.

Considerate conservatism in banking is to care for many interests.

We are prepared to properly care for yours.

The Board of Directors of the Alexandria National Bank:

Judge C. E. Nicol, President.  
John A. Marshall, Vice President.  
T. C. Smith, Cashier.  
W. A. Smoot, Jr.  
W. A. Smoot.  
E. L. Cockrell.

Invite your accounts, whether large or small, both in the Commercial and Savings Department, with the assurance of careful attention.

Customers in our Savings Department are requested to bring in their books and have interest due October 1st entered. We want your account whether it is large or small.

## JEWELERS.

## WE WILLENGRAVE

your cards, invitations, personal and business stationery, in such a high class manner that you will not have to feel them to know whether they are engraved.

**R. C. ACTON & SONS**  
JEWELERS & SILVERSMITHS

## GROCERIES.

—Ramsey Sells the Best.

## NEW

**EDAM and PINEAPPLE CHEESE.**

Very Fancy!

**CAP AND STRAINED**

**Honey.**

**G. Wm. Ramsay.**

100 CASES NEW PACK

**ROYAL RED**

**TOMATOES.**

**G. Wm. Ramsay.**

Full Line

**Feather Dusters**

**DUST BRUSHES**

**AND FLOOR SWEEPS**

**G. Wm. Ramsay.**

**NEW**

**Pinhead Oatmeal**

**Pearl Barley,**

**Farina.**

**Korn Kinks,**

**Wheatena,**

**Self Raising**